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APRIL—1900.

America has seventeen electromagnetic factories.

A new cotton mill is to be built at Madison, Ga.

New York has a co-operative cigarette makers' union.

Plans are in progress for an exposition at Charleston, S. C.

A free medical school has been opened in San Francisco, San Francisco capital invested in farming in this country is estimated at \$16,000,000,000.

The Virginia Coal, Iron & Coke Co. will soon put two more furnaces in blast.

It is estimated that 2,000 marriages are daily performed throughout the world.

Queen Victoria has had a handsome automobile regularly attached to her stables.

A combination of the lime manufacturers of the south is on the point of coming.

Mineral production in the United States this year will reach a value of nearly \$10,000,000,000.

Contracts have been let for the construction of a \$125,000 cotton factory at Kosciusko, Miss.

Agriculture in South Africa is declining due to conflicts between British and the South African republics.

Denmark's islands in the West Indies cost the government \$75,000 a year more than their revenue.

The House is to consider the appointment of Lord Hobern to the government to the Transvaal.

The cotton crop of Central Arkansas will be decreased this season on account of the scarcity of labor.

Montana is said to have mined \$40,000,000 worth of copper last year. This makes the total copper record of any state in the union.

Gov. Rollins, of New Hampshire, is something of a mountain-climber, and there is no difficult peak in his state which he has not ascended.

Most is very dear in Havana to the retail buyer. The price for beef is about thirty-five cents a pound, and it is very poor beef at that.

If the conductor of the mail car in Havana does not even own passage paper for whom there is no fee, he is subject to a fine of 60 cents.

Mrs. Grant, the widow of the general, leads a busy life, and is at present collecting for partition a number of her late husband's letters.

It is estimated that the Hwangho river of China caused a loss of between 30,000,000 and 40,000,000 lives by drowning between 1851 and 1856.

It is likely that the bonds for the erection of the new Mississippi statehouse will all be taken in that state. The bonds will bear 4 per cent. interest and are not to be paid.

The new bridge company, resulting from the settlement of the differences between Andrew Carnegie and Henry C. Frick, was soon incorporated. The capital stock is \$100,000,000, and has all been subscribed.

The house in which Danie is asserted to have written the "Inferno" has just been sold at Matlaco in the mountains of Spain. The town belonged to the Marquesa de Alba, who protected the poet in one stage of his wandering.

In San Francisco the board of health has created the position of assistant city physician, with a salary of \$300 a month, and put it in the hands of Dr. Beatrice Hinckle. Her duties will be the care of sick women and children.

The German railway, which voted an appropriation of 175,000 marks to the government for experiments in the improvement of automobiles in the army, is highly possible that in a short time the system will prove itself for moving heavy articles.

Col. Hodges, of Perry county, Georgia, says the crop is all right. The Elberton and one other cotton variety were damaged slightly by the recent freeze, but the damage to the peaches is hardly enough to relieve the trees of the immense amount of branches they would produce.

Prussia has a law that totals abstainer, and at banquets where wine is drunk he always has a glass of milk before him, with which he pledges the toast.

The Erie canal, in addition to paying costs of construction, maintenance and operation, has paid over \$600,000,000 of freight money while the Illinois is the state.

There are more in the city of Albany, N. Y., who claims to be eligible to the society of the Sons of the Revolution. He is professor Charles M. Van Buren, and is a descendant of Crispus Attucks.

## GRAND JURY AT WORK.

Investigation of the Assassination of Senator Wm. Goebel Begun.

Arguments in the Gubernatorial Contest Cases Began in the Court of Appeals Monday Morning.

Frankfort, Ky., April 3.—The republican military authorities Monday morning notified Sheriff Suter that he, or his deputies, would be permitted to close down the court in the district where the trouble is. The Frankfort district is the disaffected over the dead work scale of the Indianapolis agreement, and was entered into by the miners in the Pittsburgh district and 9,000 in the Irwin district, west of Pittsburgh, Monday. The miners in the court in the Frankfort district are the miners who are not permitted to serve any of a criminal nature. The miners are under orders and inspect the sheriff's papers to see if any warrants of arrest were among them before he was to enter the court. Two miners, of Whitley county and W. L. Hazelip, of Grayson county, two suspects who are under \$10,000 bond each, arrived Monday morning.

The Franklin county miners, which will investigate the assassination of Senator Wm. Goebel, was announced Monday afternoon at 2 o'clock. It is composed of the following: Frank Stagg (Rep.), Fred D. Lovell, Galvin (D.), W. H. George (R.), F. M. Featherston (Anti-Gospel Dem.), Robert Sutter (D.), Chas. Bradford (Rep.), Geo. Bernbach (D.), John (Rep.), H. R. Hart (Rep.), D. S. Tamm (D.).

Hon. T. C. Campbell, of New York, who was assisting the Association of miners and miners in their efforts to secure justice in the case of the murder of Wm. Goebel, was introduced Monday, and the grand jury convened to hear their report to begin work.

Frankfort, Ky., April 3.—The Appeals court of circuit court, and the grand jury working under it, which will investigate the assassination of Wm. Goebel, began work. The court did not receive its first evidence yesterday, and the grand jury adjourned Saturday evening after eight hours work, with a Saturday half day and in Mt. Vernon they ask \$3.25 a day for each witness.

In the same court, J. D. carpenters demand \$2.50 a day for eight hours. They get \$2.50 for a nine-hour day. The men are well organized and the contractors are not making a unified front, and the carpenters are in a position to compromise with the strikers, and not a few employers have conceded the scale presented.

Frankfort, Ky., April 3.—The miners struck Saturday night, and Manhattan Island and Brooklyn are practically exempt from labor troubles, and not many men in the neighborhood are working at any trade.

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## COAL MINERS STRIKE.

Between 12,000 and 15,000 in the Pittsburgh District and 8,000 in the Irwin District Out.

Pittsburgh, Pa., April 3.—From 12,000 to 15,000 coal miners in the Pittsburgh district and 9,000 in the Irwin district went on strike Monday. The miners in the court in the Frankfort district is the disaffected over the dead work scale of the Indianapolis agreement, and was entered into by the miners in the Pittsburgh district and 9,000 in the Irwin district, west of Pittsburgh, Monday morning.

All the miners in the Pittsburgh district are idle. In the Indianapolis agreement, the miners are permitted to close down the court in the Pittsburgh district and 9,000 in the Irwin district, west of Pittsburgh, Monday morning.

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## BRITISH AMBUSHED.

A Convoy, Under Command of Col. Broadwood, Falls into a Trap.

Col. Plumer is Driven Back in His Efforts to Reach Mukden. Where Heavy Fighting is Reported as Taking Place.

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## MAY BE STORY OF THE MAINE SPANISH CIPHER CABINET FOUND IN MANILA.

"Line tape" is the expression which might properly be applied to Spanish officials' circumstances. Col. Jefford, a young man from Ireland, was captured by Chinese bandits in Manila. He was released after being held for three days.

He was recaptured by the Chinese bandits and held for another three days. He was then released again, but was captured by the Chinese bandits again. He was held for another three days.

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**THE HICKMAN COURIER.**

George Warren,

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FRIDAY, APRIL 6, 1900.

**Chairman's Call.**

The Democratic Committee of the First Congressional District of Kentucky, composed of the chairmen of the County Democratic Committees of said District, is hereby called to meet in the city of Fulton on Tuesday, April 17th, 1900, at 7 P.M., for the purpose of determining upon the time and manner of nominating a Democratic candidate for Congress in said District, to be voted for at the next election.

MOTT AVENS, Chmn.

**When and Where They Meet.**

As thus far arranged, the National Conventions of the various parties for 1900 will meet in the following order: The two branches of the Populist party will convene on May 9—the "middle-of-the-roaders" in Cincinnati, and the Fusionists in Sioux Falls, S. D.; the Republicans in Philadelphia on June 18; the Prohibitionists in Chicago on June 27, and the Democrats in Kansas City on July 4.

**OFFICIAL CALL**

For the Democratic National Convention at Kansas City, July Fourth.

The National Democratic Committee, having met in the city of Washington on the 22d day of February, 1900, has appointed the 4th of July as the time, and chosen the city of Kansas City, Mo., as the place for holding the National Democratic Convention.

Each State is entitled to a representation therein equal to double the number of its Senators and Representatives in the House of Representatives of the United States and each territory, Alaska, Indian Territory and the District of Columbia, shall be entitled to one delegate.

All Democratic conservative reform citizens of the United States, irrespective of past political affiliations, are invited to join in uniting with us in the effort for pure, economical and constitutional government, and who favors the principles of the Democratic party are cordially invited to join us in sending delegates to the convention.—Official Call.

**RUSSIA AND TURKEY.**

Heretofore when Russia and Turkey have engaged in warring against each other Great Britain has actively used a "Turkey policy" in connection with leanings towards the Turkish side of the quarrel. In the last Russo-Turkish war the Russians were prevented from capturing Constantinople by the interference of the British. Again, if European dispatches are not exaggerated, Russia and Turkey seem to be on the verge of war. Russia has sent a big army to Siberia, and along the frontier of Northern Asia Minor, and the dispatches announce active preparations for a movement of some kind against Turkey. Turkey always delays and attempts to evade war by all kinds of military and diplomatic movements and plays the great powers against each other. But Great Britain, the power which the Sultan usually respects, has been so anxious about getting him out of difficulties as to have her armies fully engaged in South Africa and has but little time to devote to the strained relations between the Czar and the Sultan. Turkey owes Russia a big war indemnity and is paying for payment. The Czar wants part of Asia Minor, wants to bring the Sultan under his control, and probably may also desire to impress upon the Empire of Germany that dramatic excursions to Constantinople and the Holy Land are not as potential in establishing influence in Turkey as traps and artilleries.

**PORO RICAN TARIFF INCIDENT.**

It is often seen that apparently trivial circumstances turn the tide in politics. This tide, which has been running so strongly in favor of the Republican party ever since the American-Spanish war, was conspicuously checked by the Porto Rican tariff legislation and has since as conspicuously receded. There is no better evidence of this fact than that the Senate, after a long and heated debate in the Washington session, which begins with a tribute to President McKinley and closes in these terms:

"For these reasons and others which need not be recapitulated at this time—the Post and at real friends of the mail service—despite every effort of the past few weeks at the capitol, which have tended to place the President in a ticklish position, he has been compelled to put him and his party in an attitude of defense. Up to the time of the passage by the House of the Porto Rican tariff bill, it was generally believed which had led to his present position, which we believed it involved Mr. McKinley. As we have said heretofore, we are convinced that the President is not responsible for the conduct of his party which has led to his party's present predicament."

We cannot have any apprehension for river improvement, it seems; but there is a bill pending to give \$88,000,000 to bond holders as bonuses or premiums on bonds not yet due.

**LOCAL NEWS.**

Read the Council proceedings.

The Paris Exposition will be officially opened on Saturday, April 12th, and the city is organizing a company for the new St. Louis Guards to sell the Kerr & Rand Stock of Jewelry at Bucks.

The man who thinks he can act in defiance of all established laws or opinion, and who is at last the object of contempt and degradation.

SECRETARY ROOT is greatly impressed by his visit to Cuba and is satisfied that the people are capable of self government. Mr. Root criticizes the stories of threatened uprisings.

Now, Johnnie," said the Sunday school teacher to a small pupil, "we have read the story of the boy who sold his coat to buy his brother's dog." "They sold him too cheap," replied the young financier.

**New Wall Paper**

We have just received Spring

Wall Paper, beautiful pattern

at very low price. Call and make selection. Wilson's Book Store.

Some animals can live many years without water. A parrot lived fifty years in a cage. What do you think did his brothers do?" They sold him too cheap," replied the young financier.

—Riverside is watching with interest the bill before Congress which provides for the regulation of the size of towns on the inland waters of the Union States. It is believed by some that the influence of the railroads who make the railroads are behind the bill.

DO YOU INTEND to paint your house this Spring? If so, see SWAYNE, The Druggist. He handles mixed Paint, Oil, Turpentine, Varnish, Stains, Hard Oil Finish, Etc. Prices right.

Hon. Bennett Young of Louisville, who has had large experience in operating and building railroads, says that a single track line could be built for \$10,000. The cost of an electric line and plant would be \$25,000. So says the Courier's reliable informant.

The town trustees of Florida have agreed to let him a lease to put on a season on an agreement that he is to keep his doors open all the time, use no screens whatever, and that no one is to be allowed to enter his shop except in his place of business. Every man who drinks must buy his own liquor.

Among the many attractions of Florida are the classic and ornate ranch farms at Jacksonville and Palm Beach, which are among the largest enterprises of this kind in this country. There are more than 100 ranches in the state. They are from seven to ten feet high, and weigh from 250 to 400 pounds.

The reported prevalence of small pox in the Cruthfield neighborhood in this country was the cause of the change after we have been no new case this week. All the sick are reported as doing well. There are 10 or 12 cases now. We have been healthy. Dr. Neal Little, by report yesterday was in a dangerous condition.

**SENATION AND SENTIMENT.**

The prevailing suspicion and sentiment in this country is that my stock of Spring Goods is the prettiest ever put on the Hickman market.

H. C. AMBERSON.

The Kurskay, Russian Ambassador, will hold his own meeting in Louisville some time about the middle of July, where the editors will be entertained for a dinner. He will speak on the subject where all the business of the Association will be transacted. Afterwards he is going to Milwaukee, Duluth, and Northern lakes is in contemplation.

Rev. A. B. Chace, pastor of the Universalist church at Akron, O., has taken a stand in favor of Indiana law which would disallow away from coffins and intersecting the dead wrapped only in shrouds. His reason is that easements of graves when rising above the earth, contaminating the atmosphere to the danger of health, especially in populous communities.

If you want Style, Fit, and, especially, Color, go to

MISSES AND CHILDREN'S SHOES, it will pay you to see our lines.

RICE & NAY LOR.

Cash Shoe Store.

The levees on both sides of the Mississippi are of sufficient extent that if they should break, the water would be about 1,400 miles long, or long enough to stretch the greater part of the distance between New Orleans and New York, and would cover a belt of land of about eighty six feet wide at the base, eight feet wide at the top, and twenty feet high. The Chinese wall would be the resultant as we wonder in comparison with them, and they have cost many millions of dollars.

The new postage stamp books will be on sale May 1st. The new stamp received word to that effect. These books will be in three sizes: one contains two cent stamps, another for five cent, and a third for twenty cent ones, having forty-two cent stamps, respectively. The books will contain six stamp.

The books are printed on heavy paper.

Sprague like Wildfire.

# Spring House-Cleaning



Brings along new needs—makes fresh demands upon the purse.

It's to Your Interest

To touch with the Store that meets your needs, and yet make it economical buying for you.

Spring House-Furnishings.

at prices you can easily pay.

It is in the Quality,

In the MAKING—the FINISHES—the PRICES! It's this combination that enables us to interest the present buyer.

Elegant Wardrobes,

Oak—splendidly Carved—double doors—Drawers at bottom—Values beginning at \$88.50

Steal Bed Springs.

Very fine weave—real worth is fully \$1.50, but a Special for

\$3.00

Bed-Room Suits,

In Oak—Mahogany—beige Mirrors. Would be cheap at \$80. Early Spring Special at \$15.50

Buying your supplies at an

Economical

Furniture Store,

means economical buying

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CLEVELAND SPEAKS.

School Census for 1900. To School Trustees, Fulton Co., Ky.

At much time and care is required to run the school census in the county and an accurate and reliable compilation of the results is important to the trustees to see that it is properly taken I respectfully call your attention to the following requirements of State Superintendent.

1. The enumeration must be made by the chairman, a person, elected under law or by a census-taker, who is especially appointed to do the work and who, previously to being engaged, has taken an oath to faithfully discharge his duties under the law.

2. It is necessary for the chairman or census-taker to visit the parent or guardian of every child and secure from them the name, age and date of birth of such child. This must be entered upon the report and certified to by the parent or guardian, who, in addition, must sign the name opposite the enumeration.

3. After the report is completed the chairman or census-taker must go before an officer qualified to administer an oath and make affidavit that the census was taken in accordance with the provisions of the common school law and the instructions of the State Superintendent.

4. The census should be taken as soon as possible after the first day of April, but before the 1st of May.

5. The original report must be filed in the office of the county superintendent, a copy sent to Sam. Lincoln, trustee of the census, a copy in the trustee's record book.

6. The census must be taken, as far as possible, in the manner prescribed by law, the trustees are liable to fine for non-compliance.

7. The census report is the basis of the distribution of the State school fund among the counties, and the presentation and use of the report is correct in every particular. The county superintendent depends upon the report to determine the amount of money he is to receive and is in no wise responsible for their errors.

D. E. WOODS,  
County Super. Schools.

Remarkable Cure for Rheumatism.

KENNA, Jackson Co., W. Va.

About three years ago my wife had an attack of rheumatism which confined her to her bed for over a month and caused her to be unable to move without assistance, her limbs being swollen to double their normal size.

Mr. S. M. Morris, a doctor on my way to town, recommended the Pain Balsam, which I purchased a bottle of.

The next morning she was able to walk around the room, something she had not done in a year, and a similar attack since. A. B. Parsons, for sale at Cowgill & Cowgill, Hickman, and A. M. Shaw, State Line, Druggists.

WILL YOU HAVE AIGNE?

(Mayfield Democrat)  
Surely some people have short from stomachs. Just for instance, one might not long ago a hungry looking fellow with a little stubby moustache and studious glances, Mike Redd, a druggist.

Have you got any signs?

Yes—  
"Ginger a sickle's worth."  
But the time has come when the sickle has gnawed the flesh and feathered the bone, and if such happened to be the case.

He took out his handkerchief and wiped his mouth, and after smacking his lips and clearing his throat, he called for a slice of bread.

After drinking this he said he believed he'd take a dozen. He settled back in his chair and was about to fall asleep when the last of the bread was gone.

He took out his handkerchief and wiped his mouth, and after smacking his lips and clearing his throat, he called for a slice of bread.

Before he could eat the thirteenth ev-

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Old Gold, " 3.00 Lincoln County, B. 2.00

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DEAR SIR—I am enabled to sell, and hereby offer you, four full

quarts of HOLLYWOOD Seven year old, Double Blended, RYE WHISKEY, for \$3.00 EXTRAS PREPAID.

I propose to ship on approval, in plain Boxes, with no marks to identify contents.

When you receive it and test it, if it is not satisfactory return it at my expense and I will refund you \$3.00. This is a most liberal offer, and I await your orders. Yours very truly,

W. R. WEBSTER, Union City, Tenn.

**Railroad Time Table.**

**LEAVES ARRIVES**  
Train No. 62 at 1 p.m. Train No. 63 at 2 p.m.  
Train No. 64 at 3 p.m. Train No. 65 at 4 p.m.

The man who whispers down a well  
About the gods he has to sell  
Won't reap the glistening golden dollar  
Like one who climbs a tree and tollers.

C. F. Baltzer, Sandusky in Miami,

It will pay you to come! Buck  
Saturday.

A stone spent last Sunday in  
Greenfield, Tenn.

Kate King visited Mrs. Ben

Bethelton at Union City this week.

High grade Cutlers for us. None  
better at 35¢. RICH & NAYLOR.

Moses Martin and Dulah Mooney  
have returned from visit to Fulton

Moses, Mrs. Fannie Martin, Bre  
vard visited in Union City this week.

Farmers, call with your produce  
at Mr. B. SHAW'S Big Store.

Mrs. Lena McGinnis Stokes of An  
na, Ill., is visiting T. S. Moore's family.

Miss Mattie DeGow, of Union City,

spent Sunday in tiny city with friends.

I am selling Jewelry and Watch  
out of my own pocket. BUT I K.

The wife of Mr. C. M. Spradlin  
Union City died last week at home.

Mrs. B. Tracy and daughter Ma  
rie are visiting relatives in Dublin

Tenn.

Mr. H. Newland of Cairo, Tenn., was  
the guest of the Mooney Mooney this

New style Hats for \$8. Well  
worth \$10. Furnishing goods depart  
ment. RICH & NAYLOR.

Mr. T. Cooper of Indianapolis, Tenn.,

is the guest of Mr. C. J. Miller at the

New Laubette.

Mrs. A. C. Clark has returned from

Carroll, Tenn., where she has been

teaching school.

**Briek for Sale.**

In very quantity. H. C. COOPER.

Mesdames Drapes and Mrs. Alice M. S. M.  
Dobson of Union City had Wash.

Does not attend the lectures in

City Hall next Saturday evening  
so highly entertained. No comedians.

Mr. Ben Remond and Miss Holmes

are the two comedians to appear

at the Hotel Franklin of Union City.

4-6-4.

Mr. Morris Dillon, the prominent  
and all-around young gentleman of

Moscow, has accepted a position with

T. & Johnson's great furniture good  
Furniture.

Mr. Alvin Young has accepted a po  
sition as traveling salesman for The First

Bank of Louisville, Kentucky, and will

arrive in Louisville Tuesday to make

calls in their interest.

**Perfume!** Perfume!

An elegant line just imported  
SWAYNE. The Druggist.

Mrs. Lucy Smith, recently  
from Louisburg Monday, Mrs. Don

Smith's daughter, a graduate in

Louisville, under the care of a physician at

the Missouri Baptist Sanitarium.

D. W. Dickinson the best funeral

in Fulton county, says that the prospects  
for the new year are bright. The price  
of goods up to the day, but as to future

swings news do not yet not.

Mr. Seth Culin for some Bushnell  
parties this week mounted a large  
American eagle which measured a foot  
from wing to wing. The eagle was built  
out of the picture of the national emblem.

See the fine Umbrella Fans,  
Lace, Embroideries, Handkerchiefs,  
etc., etc., at H. C. AMBROSE.

Mr. Hardy, a well known citizen  
of this county, died of small pox  
last week. He contracted the disease  
at Marion and during his illness Mr.  
John Dickey, who died of small pox  
near Crutchfield, one day last week.

Mr. Henry Helm was elected to the  
office of City Clerk Monday night to  
fill the vacancy caused by the sudden  
death of W. L. McClelland. He is a praiseworthy  
young man, competent, and the  
Courtroom predicts will make a faithful and  
efficient officer.

The anti-slavery ordinance is to be vot  
ed on at next meeting of the City Coun  
cil. Under its provisions milk cows will  
be arrested and bound hand and foot  
and their owners fined \$100. You can  
see how absurd this law is.

The babies, children and other  
lovers of the law have voted  
against this law.

Mrs. D. C. Heath, wife of Capt.  
Heath, died at her home in this country  
Thursday, March 29th, of pneumonia.

She was a kind, noble Christian woman  
loved by all her neighbors and acquaint  
ances. The most every sympathy is  
extended to her husband and bereaved hus  
band.

A Hickman physician says that cases  
of small pox have existed in Hickman  
all winter, and the winter is far from over.  
Should be taken to prevent its spreading  
it. I am wondering if it has not spread  
it. We have had a few cases of small pox  
here, but I don't know if there have been  
any genuine cases of small pox in our mid  
but we suppose it is a fact.

For a long time Mr. West passed  
away at 4 o'clock Friday morning after  
an illness of eight days of pneumo  
nia. Mr. West was a carpenter by trade  
and had many friends in the city. He  
resided at 111 Main Street, Hotel Ky., for  
interment. Deceased was 35 years old,  
leaves a wife and seven children to mourn  
his loss.

This colonization school has opened  
promisingly in the South and industrial  
agents say the year will be a record  
breaker for immigration. Many new  
mines are being developed in the South  
and along the Southern line railroads, and  
new industries are constantly developing  
and large colonies are also coming south  
and thousands of people are taking ad  
vantage of the housekeeper's excursions

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Grand Display and Record-Breaking Prices on New and  
Desirable Spring Merchandise in every Department  
throughout our Store.

## Bargain Inducements and Money-Saving Opportunities!

### Wash Goods.

Fine imported Egyptian Dimities. A most desir  
able fabric for Waist and Dresses. 8 to 25¢  
Our price per yard.

### Gingham.

A choice and select assortment of Zephyr. 10¢  
Gingham's worth 12½¢ per yd. Our price.

### Mercerized Sateen

in fancy and solid colors rich  
as silk for skirts and Dresses  
as a bargain at 25 and 35¢

### Standard CALICOES.

Flaunes, Indigo Blues and Garnets.  
Our price 5¢

### Domestic.

to good quality black and brown Domestic.  
Our price 5¢

### Battenberg Stamped Patterns.

We have a complete line also the Braids. But  
tons and Thread.

### Lace All-over.

Black and White for Yokes  
Blouses, etc. Our price per yd. 50¢ to \$1

### Millinery.

We show an entire large line trimmed hats,  
all the latest styles of 1888 Spring season. Hats  
that will please the most fastidious. 25¢ to \$3.50

### Childs Ready Dresses.

A new departure Childs Crepe Dresses,  
neatly trimmed 3 to 5 years old. Our price 38 to 50¢

### Fashionable Silks.

We show the handsomest line in the city, all the  
new collections in Taffeta Silks, CRINKLE Silks,  
WASH Silks also the new Lace Stripe Silks.

### 50¢ to \$8.50 Ready Made SKIRTS

in all the latest styles. We also complete line  
Wash skirts strictly tailor made in the newest  
fashions some plain and others richly applied  
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### Young Men's Suits.

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